RESOLUTION NUMBER 357

Luke Lowry

WHEREAS,, the student members of the Internal Medicine Interest Group at the Washington University School of Medicine have volunteered for several years with Community Health-In-Partnership Services (CHIPS), a free clinic serving the uninsured in North St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, students in the Internal Medicine Interest Group have assisted CHIPS in screening and outreach efforts throughout the community. These medical students have seen firsthand the impact CHIPS has on the health of the community; and

WHEREAS, the 2009-2010 student members of the Internal Medicine Interest Group at the Washington University School of Medicine sought to financially support CHIPS in providing high quality health care to those who need it most, the Group co-hosted CHIPS' 2009 Volunteer Recognition Gala on November 7, 2009 at the Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College to honor physicians who have volunteered their time to help CHIPS serve the uninsured; and

WHEREAS, the 2009-2010 student members of the Internal Medicine Interest Group at the Washington University School of Medicine, led by Ryan Anderson and including Adam Althaus, Katie Hu, Neil Munjal, Sanyukta Desai, Michael Billington, Miquia Henderson, Julia Warren, Jennifer Reeves, Kristen Grant, Xiaodi Wu, Kenny Lin, Luke Lowry, Tina Liou, Joseph Song, Haley Hicks, Ima Paydar, Jean Marie Hartin, Maria Trissal, and Bob Berry, worked tirelessly to help organize the event and collected dozens of donated items offered in the silent auction.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations and offer congratulations and best wishes to the Internal Medicine Interest Group at the Washington University School of Medicine for the dedicated support and service the less fortunate members of our community and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honorees at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 5th day of March, 2010 by:

Honorable Charle	s Ouincy	Troupe.	Alderman	1st	Ward

Adopted this the 5th day of March, 2010 as attested by:				
David W. Sweeney	Lewis E. Reed			
Clerk, Board of Aldermen	President, Board of Aldermen			